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SUBJ: ETHIOPIAN DELEGATION ON GOOD WILL MISSION

REF: (A) ADDIS ABABA 2005, (B) STATE 82633

1. THREE-MAN ETHIOPIAN MISSION MET WITH FOREIGN MINISTER MINAH EVENING OF APRIL 12 AND HAD AUDIENCE WITH PRESIDENT STEVENS MORNING OF APRIL 13, ACCORDING TO MINISTRY OF INFORMATION NEWS BULLETIN. TEAM HAS LEAD BY CAPTAIN WUBISHE DESSE, WHO PRESNETED PRESIDENT STEVENS SPECIAL NOTE FROM ETHIOPIA HEAD OF STATE COLONEL MENGISTU MARIAM.

2. BOTH PRESIDENT STEVENS AND FOREIGN MINISTER MINAH RE-ITERATED LONGSTANDING TIES BETWEEN SIERRA LEONE AND ETHIOPIA AND ASSURED DELEGATION THAT GOSL WAS KEEPING ABREAST OF EVENTS

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IN ETHIOPIA. STEVENS TOLD DESSE THAT GOSL WAS PREOCCUPIED WITH ELECTION CAMPAIGN, BUT WOULD GIVE ACTIVE CONSIDERATION TO ISSUES RAISED IN SPECIAL NOTE AFTER GENERAL ELECTIONS TO BE HELD MAY 6.

3. GOSL PREVIOUSLY HAD REQUESTED MISSION TO DELAY ARRIVAL IN SIERRA LEONE UNTIL AFTER ELECTIONS BUT TEAM PROCEEDED TO

FREETOWN ANYWAY. WE ARE SEEKING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON
SUBSTANCE OF SPECIAL NOTE AND WILL INFORM ADDRESSEES FURTHER.
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